Carver-Price School News

Hello Readers! Since the last news report, we have played two basketball games. Last Friday night Campbell County High School's boys and girls teams were here. The Carver "Panthers" lost by a score of 55-49. The entire game was close and in the third quarter it was "nip and tuck" with each team making baskets alternately and the scores a tie. However, in the fourth quarter's last few minutes, Campbell held a small lead. Eugene Browder, Willie Lilly, George Jennings and Curtis Whitted deserve special mention for their playing. James Gafford and James Ferguson played their first game. We were proud of their showing.

The girls' team played well. The score was 25-19, with the Campbell High girls winning. Scores were nearly a tie at several points in the game. Rosa Jones, forward, was the high scorer and Georgia Scruggs was next highest scorer. Other players were Laura Hubbard, Viola Johnson, Luvenia Johnson, Helen McCoy, Gloria Jenkins, Henreitta Ferguson and Pearl Jones.

Friday night, December 17, the girls and boys teams journey to Rustburg to play Campbell. These should be very good games. Mrs. H. P. James and Mr. Newton H. Miller, coaches, are looking for wins

Tuesday, December 14, Nortside High of Gretna played here, winning 36-31. We won over them on their home court two weeks ago.

All the classrooms are decorative for Christmas. Students in some of the elementary grades are making jewelry boxes, thread holders, bells, candle holders, and attractive decorations for the home. Mrs. T. W. Hamlet is instructor. The Third Graders have a Christmas Scene table with dolls, the inn, the camel scene, and Santa Claus, made by the pupils. Miss H. B. Stephens is instructor.

Patrons and friends are invited to attend the Christmas Program on Tuesday evening, December 21, at 8:00 P. M. in the auditorium.Grades five, six and seven are presenting it.

Thursday morning the student body will be entertained with a new kind of show—"An Ape Show." The ape does tricks and has a wardrobe.

And—our thought for the week: "A period of high civilization is one in which thoughts fly freely from mind to mind, from one country to another—yes, from the past into the present."

Colored Dots

The general public is invited to hear the Roseland Singers, of Lynchburg in a musical program at the Galilee Baptist Church this Sunday at 8:00 P. M. The program is sponsored by Mis H. B. Stephens for the benefit of the church. Please arrange to hear these popular singers.

A large crowd attended the fourth annual Men's Day program at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church last Sunday at 3:00 P. M. The program was made up of several local talents and representatives from several local churches. The Mount Airy Junior Choir rendered special music. Professor H. A. M. Johnson was the guest speaker. Rev. N. R. Jordan gave some very helpful remarks. The offering was very good. The president of the Men's Club, Mr. Norman Turner served as master of ceremony.

The Silvertone Gospel Singers, of Prospect, Va. will render a musical program at the Mount Zion Baptist Church, Concord, Va., this Sunday evening at 1:30. The local Golden Voice Singers, of Appomattox will be their special guests. The program is sponsored by Mrs. Beatrice Megginson, for the benefit of the church.

Impressive services were held at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church last Sunday morning. The pastor delivered a special sermon at the subject, "Jesus wounded in the house of His friends." The offering for the day was very good.

Impressive services were held at the First Baptist Church last Sunday morning.

All who attended the evening services at the Promise Land Baptist Church last Sunday enjoyed it very much. The church choir rendered special music. The pastor delivered a special sermon..

The local churches are busy planning their annual Christmas tree exercises. The following have already been announced: The Union Christmas tree of Galilee and First Baptist will be at the First Baptist Church on Christmas Eve at 8 P. M. The annual Christmas tree at the Promise Land Church will be held at the church on Thursday evening, Dec. 23, at 7:30.

Culling of unproductive and sick-looking poultry from flocks is a sound disease-prevention measure especially during winter when birds are closely confined.

LEE HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Lee Home Demonstration Club held its annual Christmas party Tuesday, Dec. 7, in the home of Mrs. Gus Torrence. There were 16 members present. Decorations and refreshments reflected a holiday note. Pollyanna gifts were received by all members present. Mrs. D. M. Wood gave a wonderful demonstration on Christmas cookies and sandwiches. Below is one of the recipes used at the meeting. Try it for your Christmas entertaining:

Applesauce - Nut Bread
2 cups sifted all-purpose flour
3/4 cup granulated sugar
3 tsp. baking powder
1 tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. baking soda
1/2 tsp. cinnamon
1 cup coarsely chopped walnuts
1 egg
1 cup canned applesauce
2 tbsp. melted shortening

Sift together first 6 ingredients, add walnuts, Beat egg, add applesauce and shortening, add flour mixture. Stir until blended, pour into pan. Bake 1 hour or until done, in oven heated to 350F. Cool on rack.

STATE REMINDS THAT LITTERBUGGING COSTS

A reminder that litterbugging is expensive—in more ways than one—will be given motorists throughout Virginia this winter.

State highway officials said today that the department is planning the state-wide erection of a sign reading: "Unlawful to Throw Trash on Highway—Fine up to $500." The cost of picking it up was $343,885 during the past fiscal year, highway records show.

Virginia law provides a penalty of up to $500 or as much as 12 months in jail, or both, for anything from tossing a cigarette package on the highway to dumping a carton of garbage on the roadside.

The 48-inch by 18-inch signs have been up in the Culpeper highway district since last spring when the road agency worked with the Anti-Litterbug Council and Keep America Beautiful, Inc., in a campaign to impress on the motorist the high cost of picking up rubbish on littered highways.

H. J. Neale, landscape engineer for the State Highway Department, said the effects of the campaign have been noticeable in many counties in the Culpeper district and that the Anti-Litterbug Council is planning the organization of similar drives after the first of the year in the other seven highway districts.

The signs will be erected as soon as possible, officials said, and will be placed at or near county and state lines.

NEW TOBACCO ON LIST RECOMMENDED FOR 1955

A new high-yielding flue-cured tobacco is on the recommended list for 1955, say agronomists at VPI.

It is Virginia 21, developed at the Chatham branch of VPI Agricultural Experiment station from a cross of the familiar Virginia Gold and Yellow Special-A.

Recommended for use of farms not infected with black stank or granville wilt Virginia 21 produces good yields of high quality cigarette tobacco. In 1953-54 at Chatham it yielded an average of 1,573 pounds per acre for an acre value of $911.-63, compared to its parent Virginia Gold, which yielded 1,574 pounds per acre for an acre value of $872.-50.

Virginia 21 cures easier than Virginia Gold. Its leaves are of good size and spaced well on the stalk, and it shows high resistance to certain root rot organisms. However, it grows with a somewhat yellow cast and should not be harvested until ripe.

Remaining on the recommended list for farms not infested with black shank or granville wilt are Virginia Gold, Hicks, Yellow Special A, and N. C. 42. The last two will be dropped from the list after 1955 however.

For use on black-shank infested farms where two or three-year rotations can be followed are: Vesta 5 and Dixie Bright 101. Where tobacco must be grown on the same soil each year, Vesta 30 and D. B. 102 are suggested.

D. B. 101 in rotation, and D .B. 102 where rotation is not possible, are listed for use on farms infested with both black shank and granville wilt.

For use on farms with granville wilt only are: Dixie Bright 28, and Vamorr 50 (will be dropped after 1955).

Many farmers are asking questions about the new Coker's 139 and Coker's 140, which will be released commercially for planting this year. Although these varieties do not yet appear on the officially recommended list from VPI, the agronomists say that 139 looked good in limited tests. It is a tall growing variety with leaves spaced close together. It is resistant to black shank, and in 1954 bloomed later than other varieties. Many farmers likely will grow 139 this year. The agronomists say the big question about this variety is, "Will it grow vigorously under the root rot conditions existing on so many Virginia farms?" Farmers and professional agriculture workers can help answer this question by observing the variety during the coming growing season.

Coker's 140 did not yield as well or have as high an acre value in 1954 as did 139. The distance between the nodes is greater than on 139.

Both varieties are the result of a multiple cross involving Golden Cure, D. B. 101, Golden Wilt, and Oxford 1-181.

TIPS ON TAKING INDOOR CHRISTMAS PICTURES

Here are a few tips on taking indoor holiday pictures from Don Mohler, General Electric photographic lighting specialist:

When shooting any interiors, follow the same general rules as for exterior photographs, leaving all the room lights on and even lighting a floodbulb in the room to give some detail of the room surroundings.

Indoor shots, if no supplementary lighting is used, can be very disappointing since even a 10 or 20-second exposure may show nothing but points of light on the negative with the barest suggestion of other detail. A quick and easy measure of detail on an indoor Christmas tree for example, is to give a 10-second exposure with lights and then flash a bulb in the direction of the tree before shutting the camera shutter. The print will not convey the impression that the lights were darkened room given the picture it will show detail. For the best on any of these things, experiment several ways, with subjects indoors and outdoors with and without considerable light after sundown.

And don't forget that a good picture material enabling Year's parties. Flash bulbs enables one to circulate and get candid shots.

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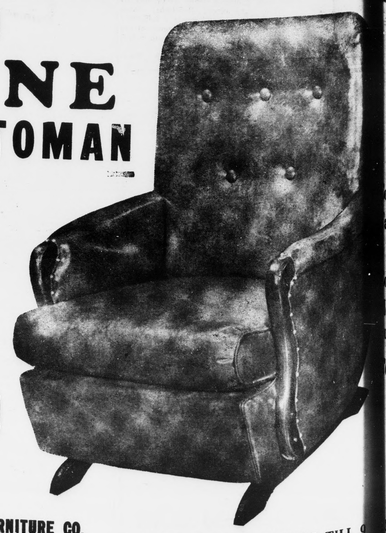

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hurches List Christmas Programs

ST ADULT CHOIR CHRISTMAS PARTY

berty Baptist Church Adult held its annual Christmas at the parsonage on Saturday, December 11. The entire floor was appropriately ed in the holiday motif, with and red berries, and candles ers and guests enjoyed a ight supper of yuletide and turkey with all the ngs, salads, fruit cake, and After the supper, members entertained with a comical program. Those participating were Miss Beulah Ferrell, Miss Mrs. H. E. Kerr, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Ned Hancock, Hall and Mr. James Hall. were exchanged and Mrs. Templeton, choir director, ented a gift of appreciation. Templeton has recently as choir director, since she family will be moving to on January 1st. present were: Dr. and Mrs. (Gilbi, Jr., Carlton and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Templeton, Cecil Hillsman, Mrs. Carl Mrs. Ned Hancock, Mrs. Mr. John Hall, Mr. Hall, Mr. Pete Johnson, Mitchell, Mr. Bobby Mrs. Bessie V. Caldwell, Caldwell, Miss Laura Miss Nina Barlow, Miss Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Jamerson, Mr. Otto-Mr. Charlie Johnson, Kerrie, Mrs. Peggy Harris Beulah Ferrell and Mrs. Gilbert.

berty Baptist Church
el A. Collins, Jr., Pastor

School	9:45 A. M.
Worship	11:00 A. M.
Union	6:30 P. M.
Worship	7:30 P. M.

CHRISTMAS PAGEANT AT RED OAK CHURCH

The Red Oak Baptist Church Christmas Pageant, "The Light of God," will be given December 23, at 7:30 P. M. The characters are as follows:

Narrator—Mrs. George Collins.

Mary and Joseph—Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Marsh.

Shepherds—Jimmy Rogers, John Harris, David Doss, Davis Nash, Luther Reynolds.

Angel—Shirley Mae Burge.

Cherubs—Dorothy Nash, Sylvia Garrett, Dorothy Ayers, Nancy Lou Burge, Linda Stinson, Margaret Phelps, Daphne Smith, Jane Abbitt Harvey.

Wise Men—
Casper—Mr. Billy Reynolds
Melchoir—Sam Coleman
Balhasar—Randolph Doss.

Disciples—
Simon Peter— Mr. Theo Deanel
Andrew—Mr. Earl Wilkerson
James—Mr. Bill Williamson
John— Mr. Berkley Cabiness
Philip—Mr. Charlie Lewis
Bartholomew— Mr. Brandford Lucado
Thomas—Mr. Twyman Phelps
Matthew—Mr. Ray Page
James, the son of Alphaeus — Mr. Robert Lucado
Lebbaeus—Mr. Curry Harvey
Simon, the Canaanite— Mr. Fleming Martin
Judas Iscariot—Mr. Ralph Harris
Matthias—rM. Carlton Harris Jr.
Mrs. Ruby Harris. Director.

All choral numbers will be sung by the church choir, Mrs. Mabel Price, director.

New Hope Baptist Church
John P. Leitner, Pastor

Sunday December 19, 1954

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
W. D. O'Brien, Supt.
Christmas Pageant, "Song Over the World," will be presented at the evening service, 7:00 P. M.

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TRINITY CHURCH TO HAVE PROGRAM

Trinity Methodist Church will have its annual Christmas program Sunday, December 19, at 6:00 P. M.

They will present a drama, entitled, "Why Christmas." It is a story of an old man who is puzzled about Christianity and the purpose of Christmas. He sets out to learn about it by looking in on four different families—all of whom call themselves Christians. It stresses the influence our actions each day have on the lives of others, as well as the real meaning of Christmas.

You are cordially invited to attend.

RED OAK W. M. S.

Members of the W. M. S. of the Red Oak Baptist Church met Saturday evening at two o'clock in the home of Mrs. George Collins, for the December meeting.

The president, Mrs. E. S. Price presided. Mrs. George Collins had charge of the program, the subject being, "How Far Is It to Bethlehem Town?"

Those taking part on the program were Mrs. Price, Mrs. Collins Mrs. Ruby Harris and Mrs. Fleming Martin.

After the program a short business meeting was held and then delicious refreshments were served.

All present seemed to have a most enjoyable evening.

Appomattox Court House Presbyterian Church
Dr. Twyman Williams, Minister
Sunday School 10 A. M., Mr. C. Lewis McDearmon, Supt.
Candlelight Christmas Service at 5 P. M.

Stonewall Presbyterian Church
Sunday School , Mr. W. M. Routon Supt., 10 A. M.
Worship, preaching by pastor, 11 A. M.

Hixburg Presbyterian Church
Sunday School 10 A. M., John H. Goin, Supt.

Memorial Methodist Church
Rev. B. T. Price, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.
C. W. Smith, Superintendent.
Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M.
Sermon subject: "We Bring Glad Tidings."
The Adult Choir, under the direction of Mrs. C. W. Smith, will sing "The Prince of Peace," Holton, and "Peaceful and Holy the Night," Wilson.
Our Christmas Program will be given Sunday night, December 19, 7:30 o'clock. The Young People will present a Sacred Cantata, "A Star in the Sky," by Bruce Carleton. The Children's Chorus will sing and several numbers will be given by the Rhythm Band.

CANDLELIGHT SERVICE TO BE HELD BY PRESBYTERIANS

The annual Christmas Candlelight Service will be held at the Appomattox Court House Presbyterian Church this Sunday afternoon, December 19, at 5 o'clock. The program will feature special music and all churches are invited to attend.

Seventh-day Adventist Church
William Carey, Pastor
Saturday, Dec. 18, 1954
Sabbath School at 9:30 A. M.
Morning Worship at 11:00 o'clock. R. E. Hicks will be the speaker in the absence of the pastor, who will be at the First Church in Richmond as tenor soloist for the rendition of "The Messiah."
MV Christmas Program will be presented Friday night, December 24, at 7:30 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Liberty Chapel Baptist Church
John P. Leitner, Pastor
Sunday, December 19, 1954
Sunday School, 10:00 A. M.
Sam N. Thornhill, Supt.
Christmas Worship Service, 11:00 A. M.
Baptist Training Union, 7:00 P M. Mrs. Bernard Childers, Director.
Christmas Program will be presented on Friday evening, December 24th, 7:00 P. M.

St. Ann's Episcopal Church
(4th Sunday in Advent)

10 A. M. Church School.

Hebron Baptist Church
Organized 1849
Appomattox, Virginia
Floy W. Cox, Minister
10:00 A. M. Sunday School.
11:00 A. M. A Carol Service. — "The Christmas Angel."
7:00 P. M. Training Union.
Special Feature: Illustrated Message by the pastor, "Life's Motion Picture."
Wednesday, 7:30 P. M. Prayer and Bible Hour. 8:15, Choir Rehearsal.

TOP LAMBS FOR EARLY MARKET ARE BEST GUARANTEE FOR PROFIT

Production of top quality lambs for an early market is still the best guarantee for profit for Virginia's sheepmen.

That's the tip from agricultural economists at VPI who have some case histories to back up their claim. For instance, price differences in 1954 between lamb grades were variable and extremely wide at times. In the first two week of June, when large numbers of Virginia lambs were going to market, prices for prime grades were about $5.00 higher than for good grades; during July, prices of prime grade lambs averaged about $7.00 higher than for good grades.

Lamb slaughter in 1955 will not be much different from 1954. Thus with a steady consumer demand lamb prices in the year ahead should average about the same as in 1954 and will be less erratic. Prices received for prime lambs at Virginia auctions declined from around $29 per cwt. during the first part of May, 1954, to around $22.50 in the first two weeks of July. Moreover, they fell $4 per cwt. between the first and second week of April.

The nation's sheep flock was reduced in 1954 for the third successive year. However, the supply of lamb and mutton offered in retail stores should remain about the same in 1955. Improved production methods will likely offset the effect of the reduction in numbers.

During the past few years, the productive efficiency (liveweight produced per head on farms as of January 1) of sheep flocks has improved as has that of hogs and cattle. The number of pounds of lamb and mutton produced per head has averaged 23% more in the last five years than in the early 1930's. The lambing percentage climbed to a record high of 94% in 1954. A goal of a 100% lambing crop is possible through better breeding, feeding, and management.

Sheep numbers are expected to recover from their downward trend and turn upward during 1955. An important aim of the recently enacted farm program is to provide incentives for a large-enough expansion in the nation's sheep industry to provide an annual wool clip of 200 million pounds. This would require a 30% increase in domestic wool production.

Farmers received about 53% per pound for the 1954 wool clip. Under the new wool program, producers will market their wool through regular channels. The government will then make direct payments to producers for the difference between the average price received by farmers for the various grades of wool sold and the guaranteed 62¢ per pound. The fund from which the direct payments come will be supported from import duties on wool.

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